

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & TRAINING  
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATIONS  
RHODE ISLAND STATE APPRENTICESHIP COUNCIL  
1511 Pontiac Avenue  
Building 70 – 2nd Floor Conference Room  
Cranston, RI**

**NOVEMBER 22, 2011**

**9:38 AM**

**In attendance:**

**William F Holmes**

**Bernie Trembl III**

**William J. Riley**

**Joseph Contarino**

**David Marland**

**David Rampone**

**James J. White**

**Ben Copple, Esquire**

**Ronald R. D'Ambruoso, Acting Assistant Director**

**Mr. William Holmes, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:38**

**am.**

**The first order of business is to accept the minutes of September and October 25, 2011 meeting.**

**Mr. Rampone made a motion to accept the minutes. Mr. Marland seconded the motion.**

**All members voted in favor.**

**Mr. Bernie Trembl III informed the board of the Apprentice Approvals, presented for November, 2011 and in need of the board's approval.**

**Mr. Bernie Trembl III stated that all the paperwork is in order and ready for Mr. Holmes's signature. Mr. Rampone made a motion to approve all new apprentices, as submitted. Mr. White seconded the motion.**

**All members voted in favor.**

## **1. Apprentice Approvals (November 22, 2011)**

**Cinco Plg & Htg Inc – Ryan Young, Ron Richmond - Pipefitter**

**Energy Electric Co., Inc – Preston P. Juskavitch, Devin Malone,  
Michael R. Forrest - Electrician**

**Frontier HVAC Contractors LLC – Jose V. Lopes – Pipefitter II**

**Gem Plg & Htg – Joseph Lemay, Gerard A. Fontaine, Thomas McCabe  
– Pipefitter II**

**Griff Electric – Zachary Grace - Electrician**

**Interstate Electrical Serv. – Christopher Deneault, Dennis Bellisle Jr -  
Electrician**

**J. L. Electric – Eric Amoros - Electrician**

**Local 37 Iron Workers JATC – Ken O Emuakpor - IronWorker**

**McKee Bros. Oil – Colby Ross – Pipefitter II**

**Roto Rooter – Christopher Degregorio – Pipefitter II**

**Toray Plastics America – Thomas J. Kuczer Jr. – Electrician**

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**BEC Services Limited – Brian A. Dupre - Electrician**

**Brown University – Mario B. Fernandes - Electrician**

**Cinco Plg & Htg Inc – Timothy Skuce - Pipefitter**

**DK Power, Inc – Dayron Montoya - Electrician**

**Fleet Fuel Inc – Robert J. Obrien – Pipefitter II**

**Gem Plg & Htg – Marty C. Tatum, Joseph Andrade, Anthony Porraro,  
Andrew Westerfield – Pipefitter II**

**Austin MacBride - Sheet metal**

**Ryan Peloquin - Plumber**

**Gill Services – James Gibbons – Pipefitter II**

**IBEW Local 99 – Thomas Hirst - Electrician**

**Interstate Electrical Serv. – Michael Greene, Kyle Sheehan,  
Matthew Keenan - Electrician**

**Local 57 Apprenticeship Program – Brenda Goulart, David Johnson,  
Matthew Degrandpre, Cody Oliver, Benjamin Jackson, Carlos C.  
Salgado,**

**Colby Chattman, Zachary Severance, Christopher J. Holiday, John  
Arsenault,**

**Taylor McKeon, Nicholas P. Dube, Stephen Contillo,  
Matthew Trembl – Operating Engineers**

**New England Mechanical Serv. – Randy Daluz – Pipefitter II**

**Justin O'Neill – Refrigeration II**

**RI Carpenters JATC – Daniel McNamee – Carpenter**

**Plumbers & Steamfitters LU# 51 – Matthew Olean, Kevin Wetherbee,  
Stephen Tuttle, – Pipefitter**

**Robert Sequeira – Plumber**

**Rhode Island Carpenters JATC – Daniel McNamee - Carpenter**

**Robert F. Audet Inc – Joseph C. Lavoie - Electrician**

**Shamrock Electric Inc – Daniel Toner – Electrician**

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**AAA Sprinkler Co., Inc – Michael J Canham, Jeremy C. Greenlief -  
Sprinklerfitter**

**Autiello Plg & Htg – Matt Dionne – Plumber**

**B. Baptista Electric Inc – Francisco J. DaVeiga, Adriano D. Pires - Electrician**

**Bricklayers & Allied Craftsmen – Annie-Laurie Commons – Tile Layer**

**Brookside Electric Inc – John Ruediger - Electrician**

**Calson Corporation Corp – Nicholas Lima, Michael Remington - Electrician**

**Cinco Plg & Htg, Inc – Trevor Kennison – Plumber**

**Dbal Fire Suppression Systems Group – Nicholas Sinapi, Richard A. Sylvestre,**

**Justin L. Pardo – Sprinklerfitter**

**Joseph S. Baker, Andrew A. Charpentier – Electrician**

**Dynasty Electric – Ryan Capozzi, Eliezer Melse – Electrician**

**Energy Electric Co., Inc – Jesus Antaya – Electrician**

**Frank Lombardo & Sons – Stanley B. Mach - Refrigeration**

**Gem Plg & Htg Inc – Brandon Tuttle – Plumber**

**Joseph Cannao Jr, Ryan Albertson – Pipefitter II**

**Michael Diniz, Peter Gauvin – Refrigeration II**

**Sean Fresolo – Sheetmetal**

**GKT Refrigeration Inc – Kevin Lapearl – Refrigeration II**

**IBEW Local 99 – Christopher Capozzi, Kevin Prosser, Peter daCunha, Timothy Cole – Electrician**

**Interstate Electrical Services – Rey Spiridi Jr., William Whalen, Mateo Zuniga – Electrician**

**Izzo Electric & Son Inc – Jason Ouellette- Electrician**

**J. A. Ruggieri Mechanical Inc – Christopher Ruggieri,**

**Nicholas T. Ruggieri - Pipefitter**

**J&A Electric Inc – Sean P. Allard - Electrician**

**JKL Engineering Co., Inc – Benjamin E. Newberry – Refrigeration**

**Local 37 Iron Workers JATC – Ibn E. Barros, Jeffrey Calvano, Derrick A. Carlucci,**

**William F. Carvalho, Steven W. Clark, S. Celeste Cormier, Nicholas A. Gaspar,**

**Wayne S. Johnson Jr., Francis B. Mcfadyen, Daniel B. Quebec, Timothy J. Sanders – Iron Worker**

**McKee Bros Oil Co. – Tim Yoakum - Pipefitter**

**Marshall Mechanical Services - Eric A. Sanders – Refrigeration**

**Multi State Electric Co. – Brett Loxley - Electrician**

**National Refrigeration Inc. – Robert L. Rinaldi – Pipefitter II**

**Jarrold Tremblay - Refrigeration**

**Plast & Cemt Mason Local #40 – Nahshunn R. Bing – Cement Finisher**

**Plumbers & Steamfitters Lu# 51 – Richard A. Ullrich, Phillip Dudley,**

**Jason Degraide, Barret Phelan, Eric Turner, Richard Carroll,**

**Benjamin Cassidy, Craig Freeman, Gene Cabral – Pipefitter**

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**R C Smith Electric Co., Inc – Ryan Neronha – Electrician**

**RI Carpenters Local 94 – Brandon Murray , Nicholas Langlois-**

**Carpenter**

**RI Laborers' District Council – Curtney Davis, Vincent Doh - Const  
Craft Laborer**

**Robert F. Audet, Inc – Timothy Creamer – Electrician**

**SASA Brothers, Inc – Andres F. Angel – Electrician**

**Sheetmetal Workers Local #17 – Matthew Eva, Jesse Brelos -  
Sheetmetal**

**T.E.S Electrical Serv Inc – Gregory T. Price – Electrician**

## **2. New Companies**

**Mr. Bernie Trembl III stated that all items under new company approvals are in order and ready for the Council's approval. Mr. Riley made a motion to approve all the new companies as submitted. Mr. Contarino seconded the motion. All members voted in favor. The following are the new companies that have been approved:**

**NOVEMBER 22, 2011**

**Contractors Network, Inc. – Zachariah Levesque - Carpenter**

**Custom Plg & Htg Co. Inc – Jose Pereira – Plumber**

**W.H. Holland Electric, Inc. – Eli Carey - Electrician**

**Pinnacle Plg & Htg Inc – Albert R. Beaulieu - Plumber**

**Rightway Electric Inc – Jonathan Goddu - Electrician**

**South Shore Electrical Contractors LLC – Eric Reed Jr. – Electrician**

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**Diroco Plg Services LLC – Nicholas Sirocco – Pipefitter II**

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**BEC Services Limited Inc – Daniel Lapierre, Michael Lapierre -  
Electrician**

**Flow Tech – Michael Bislop – Plumber**

**Joseph Tavone Painting Co., Inc – Francisco X. Feliciano - Painter**

**R.W. Desrosiers Co. – George M. Barkan - Pipefitter**

### **3. Completion Certificates**

**Mr. Rampone made a motion to approve all the completion  
certificates as submitted.**



**Mr. White seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**

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**Plumbers & Steamfitters Lu#51 – Keith Pollock – Pipefitter/Refrig  
Jung-Kun - Plumber**

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**Finishing Trades Inst. Of S NE – Leo Rainville, Carlos Perez - Painter  
Local 57 Apprenticeship Program – Tamara Carpenter – Operating  
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**Energy Electric – Kristen Dixon - Electrician**

**IBEW Local 99 – Christopher Gilchrist, James Hampson, Brendan  
Shorter -Electrician**

**Local 37 Iron Workers JATC – Christopher R. Martel, Joseph  
Aquilante,**

**Jeremiah Cain, Michael Capaldi, Christopher Cicerchia, Shawn Fallon,**

**Richard Francis, Matthew Jackson, John Kemper, Thomas Mallozzi,  
Eric Marold, Joshua Midwood, Cheryl Page, Christopher Vota – Iron  
Worker**

**Plumbers & Steamfitters Lu#51 – Jason Santos, Matthew Hough,**

**Carl Jones II– Pipefitter/Refrigeration**

**RI Carpenters Local 94 – Ryan Deltoro - Carpenter**

**4. Apprentices Cancellation:**

**Just for the Council information.**

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**Al's Electric Inc – Brian Dupre - Electrician**

**Apco LLC – Justin K. Lapre - Electrician**

**Frontier Mechanical LLC – Armino Cesar - Pipefitter**

**IBEW Local 99 – Shannon Kelly - Electrician**

**Professional Electric Cont. of CT – Adam Ray – Electrician**

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**Finishing Trades Inst. Of S NE –Crystal Judd, Marvin Vargas, Michael Reid,**

**Ben Murrath – Painter**

**Richard Nemirow – Glazier**

**Melvin Thorton, Manuel Rodriguez, Michael Diorio – Drywall Finisher**

**Fire Suppression Systems Group – Andrew Kinder - Electrician**

**Gem plg & Htg – Michel Cardente, Luis Ortiz – Pipefitter**

**Victor Pereira - Plumber**

**IBEW Local 99 – Nicholas N. Zinno, Brendon McKeen - Electrician**

**Robert F. Audet Inc – Mark Kent – Electrician**

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**B. Fortin Electric Co., Inc – Eliezer Melse - Electrician**

**Electric Boat Corp. – David Gomes Jr. – Maintenance Electrician**

**Gem Plg & Htg Inc – John Tartaglia, Bryan Palumbo – Pipefitter II**

**IBEW Local 99 – Christina Gonzalez, Rathphanath Heing - Electrician**  
**Local 37 Iron Workers JATC – Christopher J. Young, Jonnathan**  
**Herrera,**  
**Derek Frizzell, Matthew Waddell, John A. Aparicio Jr., James Alix,**  
**Corey L. Trementozi, Ryan M. Thomas – Iron Worker**  
**Plumbers & Steamfitters Lu#51 – Cory Decato, Nathan Pimentel –**  
**Plumber**  
**Jeremy Greenlief, Matthew Hough– Pipefitter/Refrigeration**  
**Sean Foley, Ryan Bergeron - Pipefitter**  
**Power Comm System Inc – Matthew Keenan - Electrician**  
**RI Carpenters Local 94 – Javier Cabrero, Hector Catalan – Cabinet**  
**Maker**  
**T.A. Gardiner Plg & Htg Inc – Jason Letendre – Pipefitter II**  
**T.E.S. Electrical Serv. Inc – Justin Moan - Electrician**  
**Summit Electrical Cont. Inc – Nicholas Adam - Electrician**

**5. Apprentices, sponsors and Standards needing assistance from the Council:**

- **Letter from Jason Dawley requesting on the job learning/training hours toward his Electrical Apprenticeship.**

**Mr. Dawley was never properly register in Massachusetts. Motion to**

**denied request base on past practice. Mr. White made a motion. Mr. Contarino Seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**

## **6. Communication Letters:**

- Review & Discuss New England Tech recognition of Maintenance Electrician curriculum.**

**Mr. Rampone made a motion to approve the Program. Mr. Contarino seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**

- Review & Discuss State Apprenticeship Council Sub Committee's recommendations on 29 CFR 29 and next steps to be taken for finial federal recognition.**

**Ben Copple and Mr. Holmes had reviewed the document.**

**Mr. Holmes- for the record entertained a motion to support the revised recommendations for 29 CFR 29. Mr. Contarino made a motion. Mr. Rampone seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**

- Review & Discuss Rhode Island Construction Training Academy's recognition of Construction Craft laborer related instruction curriculum.**

**Letter from Rhode Island Construction Training Academy to formally recognize curriculum for the trade of construction craft laborer related instruction training program.**

**After discussion a motion was made by Mr. Rampone to table the**

**agenda item pending more information.**

**Specific items needed to be addressed before any recommendations can be made.**

**A field visit to the facility where the training will be conducted.**

**Credentials & qualifications on the instructor or instructors.**

**A more detailed outline of the entire program which address the course curriculum regarding the standards of a construction craft laborer.**

**The motion was seconded by Mr. White. All members voted in favor.**

**7. Old Business:**

**None**

**8. New Business:**

**None**

**Compliance/analysis completed:**

**None**

**9. Further Discussion:**

**None**

**10. Next SAC Meeting:**

**The next meeting of the State Apprentice Council will be held on December 27, 2011 at 9:30 am. The meeting will be held at RIDLT, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 70 2nd Floor, Cranston, RI.**

**Mr. White made a motion to Cancelled December's meeting. Mr. Rampone seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**

**Mr. Rampone made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:45 am. Mr. Marland seconded the motion. All members voted in favor.**